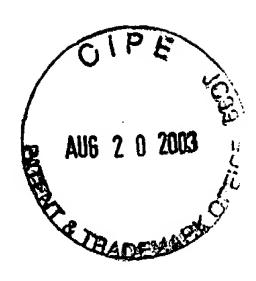


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Re:

U.S. Patent Application Serial No: 09/991,863

Filed: November 16, 2001

Entitled: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR CARRYING OUT ANALYSIS

OF SAMPLES USING RADIATION DETECTOR OUTPUT RATIOS

Inventor: John Francis Gordon

Our File No: GORD 94100022(GB)WOUSD1D9

#### Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced application are the following documents:

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2. Power of Attorney by Assignee Including

Exhibit A: Request for Entry of Certificate Under 3.73(b)

Exhibit B: Certificate Under 3.73(b)

Exhibit C: Assignment from John Francis Gordon to The University Court of the University of Glasgow and from the University of Glasgow to Burstein

Technologies, Inc.

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Very truly yours,

Donald Bollella
Chief Patent Counsel

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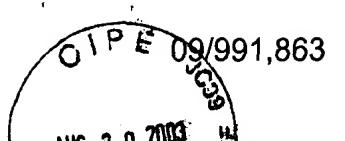
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The undersigned, Richard Burstein, President of BURSTEIN TECHNOLOGIES, INC, hereby appoints Donald Bollella, Registration No. 35,451, of Burstein Technologies, Inc, Suite 200, Irvine, California 92618, telephone number (949) 453-1800, to prosecute this patent application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith and with the resulting patent.

As assignee of the entire interest of the above-identified application, all previous powers are hereby revoked.

Attached hereto in support of the above are:

- A) Request for Entry of Certificate Under 3.73(b);
- B) Certificate Under 3.73(b) listing the chain of ownership; and
- C) Relevant assignment from John Francis Gordon to the University of Glasgow; and from the University of Glasgow to Burstein Technologies, Inc.

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# **CORRESPONDENCE INSTRUCTIONS**

Please direct all future correspondence to the following address:

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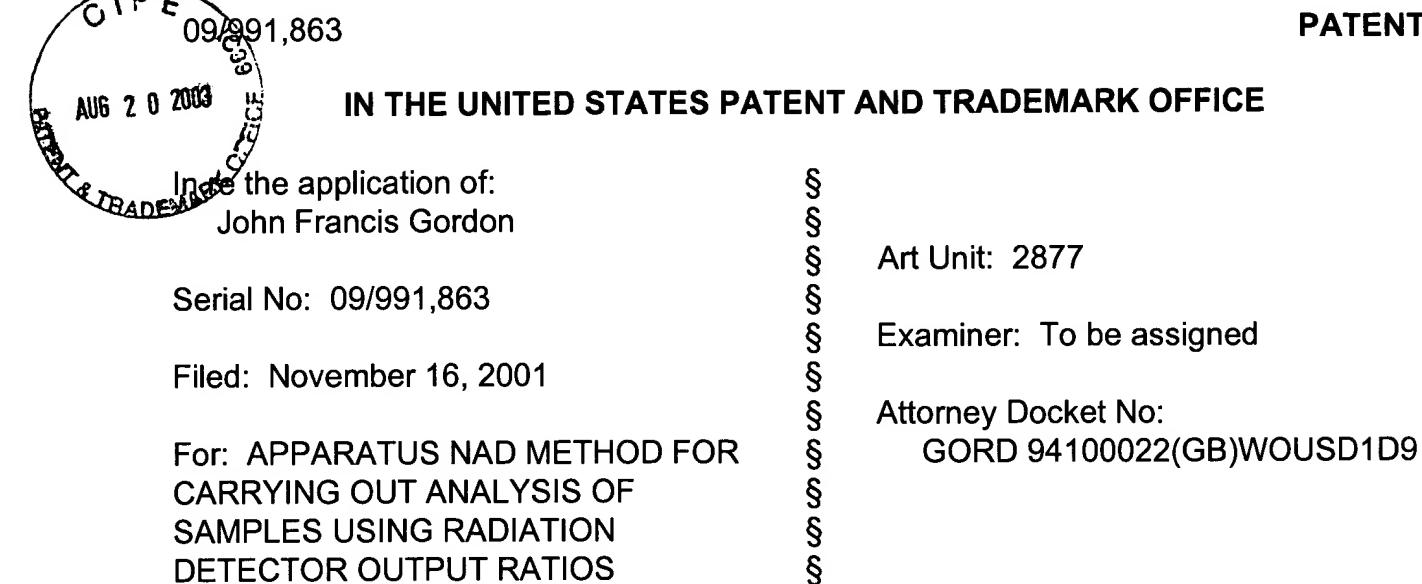
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Sir:

In further support of Assignee's interest herein, Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following Certificate Under 37 C.F.R. Section 3.73(b) in connection with the aboveidentified application.

Applicant believes that no fee is required for filing this communication. Commissioner is, however, hereby authorized to charge or credit any fees connected with this communication to Deposit Account No. 50-1781.

Donald Bollella

Registration No. 35,451

Respectfully submitted,

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# **CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)** AUG 2 0 2003 John Francis Gordon Aø∌licant: Application No: 09/991,863 Filed: November 16, 2001 Entitled: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR CARRYING OUT ANALYSIS OF SAMPLES USING RADIATION DETECTOR OUTPUT RATIOS Burstein Technologies, Inc., a\_\_\_\_ Corporation (Type of Assignee, e.g., corporation, partnership, university, government agency, etc.) (Name of Assignee) certifies that it is the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the patent application identified above by virtue of either: An assignment from the inventor(s) of the patent application identified above. The assignment was A.[ ] recorded in the Patent and Trademark Office at Reel , Frame \_\_\_ , or for which a copy thereof is attached; OR A chain of title from the inventor(s), of the patent application identified above, to the current B.[X] assignee as shown below: 1. From: John Francis Gordon To: University of Glasgow The document was recorded in the Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 8634, Frame 0810, or for which a copy thereof is attached. 2. From: University of Glasgow To: Burstein Technologies, Inc. The document was recorded in the Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 013832, Frame 0554, or for which a copy thereof is attached. 3. From: The document was recorded in the Patent and Trademark Office at \_\_\_\_\_, Frame\_\_\_\_, or for which a copy thereof is attached. Reel 1 Additional documents in the chain of title are listed on a supplemental sheet. [X] Copies of assignments or other documents in the chain of title are attached. STATEMENT IN SUPPORT OF ASSIGNEE'S INTEREST The undersigned has reviewed all the documents in the chain of title of the patent application identified above and, to the best of the undersigned's knowledge and belief, title is in the assignee identified above. The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is empowered to sign this certificate on behalf of the assignee.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further, that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements, and the like so made, are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001, Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

Acq 15, 2005

Donald Bollella
Chief Patent Counsel

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GORDON, JOHN FRANCIS

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### ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, JOHN FRANCIS GORDON, of 5 Park Crescent, Torrance, Glasgow G64 4BH, United Kingdom, have invented an APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR CARRYING OUT ANALYSIS OF SAMPLES for which I am about to make application for Letters Patent of the United States of America, and

WHEREAS, THE UNIVERSITY COURT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF GLASGOW, a corporation of the United Kingdom, having its principal place of business at University Avenue, No. 2 The Square, Glasgow G12 8QQ, United Kingdom, desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention:

APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR CARRYING OUT ANALYSIS OF SAMPLES

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to me in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, JOHN FRANCIS GORDON, by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said corporation, its successors and assigns, all right, title and interest in the United States of America and all foreign countries in and to said invention as described in the patent application, executed by me on the 16th day of April, 1997, (and I hereby authorize my attorneys, authorized to prosecute said application to here insert the filing date and serial number of the said application, as soon as it is known, Serial No. <u>08/809.402</u> \_\_\_\_\_, filed March 21, 1997), and to any improvements on said invention heretofore or hereafter made while I am in the employ of said corporation, and any divisions or continuations of said application, and all Patents, United States and foreign, granted upon any such applications or for the inventions described therein, and any reissues or extensions of said Patents; and I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue all Patents on said United States applications to said corporation as assignee thereof.

FOR SAID CONSIDERATIONS, I hereby covenant and agree that I am the owner of the full title herein assigned and have the right to assign the same, and agree that I will communicate to said corporation or its representatives, any facts known to me respecting said invention or inventions and testify in any legal proceedings relating thereto when called upon, and will sign all instructions and documents and render such assistance which in the judgement of said corporation is necessary to vest in it and protect the legal title sought to be assigned.

16th Apr 1997.
Date

JOHN FRANCIS GORDON

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To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced Patents are the following documents:

- 1. Cover Letter
- 2. Recordation Form Sheet (PTO-1595)
- 3. Supplemental Sheet to Form PTO-1595
- 4. Acknowledgement of Assignment and Assignment
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#### ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ASSIGNMENT AND ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, John Francis Gordon (hereinafter referred to as "GORDON") as the inventor of an invention entitled "Apparatus And Method For Carrying Out Analysis Of Samples," as disclosed in application for United States Patent Serial No. 08/809,402, filed March 21, 1997 (hereinafter referred to as the "Gordon I Invention"), has previously assigned the entire right, title, and interest in the invention and to all continuations and divisions thereof, and all patents, United States and foreign, granted upon such applications or for the inventions described therein, and any reissues or extensions of said patents, United States Letters Patent No. 5,892,577 granted April 6, 1999; United States Letters Patent No. 6,256,088 granted July 3, 2001; United States Letters Patent No. 6,327,031 granted December 4, 2001; and United States Letter Patent No. 6,339,473 granted January 15, 2002 having issued (hereinafter referred to as the "Gordon I Patent Rights") to The University Court of The University of Glasgow, a corporation of the United Kingdom, having its principal place of business at University Avenue, Glasgow, United Kingdom (hereinafter referred to as "UNIVERSITY"), as recited in the assignment dated April 16, 1997 recorded on July 31, 1997, in the assignment records of the United States Patent Office at reel/frame number of 8634/0810;

WHEREAS, GORDON as the inventor of the invention entitled "Apparatus And Method For Conducting Assays," as disclosed in application for United States Letters Patent Serial No. 09/284,421, filed April 8, 1999 (hereinafter referred to as the "Gordon II Invention"), has previously assigned the entire right, title, and interest in the invention, and all continuations and divisions thereof, and all patents, United States and foreign, granted upon such application or for the inventions described therein, and any reissues or extensions of said patents (hereinafter referred to as the "Gordon II Patent Rights"), to Molecular Drives Ltd., a Limited Company registered under the Companies Act of 1985, Registered Number SC157075, having a place of business at 39 Western Court, University of Glasgow, Scotland, United Kingdom (hereinafter referred to as "MOLECULAR DRIVES"), as recited in the assignment dated June 1, 1999 recorded on June 11, 1999, in the assignment records of the United States Patent Office at reel/frame number of 010036/0805;

WHEREAS, MOLECULAR DRIVES has assigned the entire right, title, and interest in the Gordon II Patent Rights to UNIVERSITY, as recited in the assignment dated June 7, 1999 recorded on November 18, 1999 in the assignment records of the United States Patent Office at reel/frame number of 010400/0621;

WHEREAS, UNIVERSITY has agreed to sell the above identified Gordon I and Gordon II Inventions and the Gordon I and Gordon II Patent Rights to Burstein Technologies, Inc. (hereinafter referred to as "BTI") pursuant to that certain Exclusive License, Technology Transfer, and Technology Acquisition Agreement dated July 23, 1999 by and between UNIVERSITY, MOLECULAR DRIVES, GORDON, and Digital Drives, Inc., formerly a Nevada corporation (said Digital Drives, Inc. hereinafter referred to as "DIGITAL") and further pursuant to the "Clarification and Amendment of Technology Transfer Agreement between University of Glasgow and Burstein Technologies, Inc" dated November 30, 2001 by and between UNIVERSITY, BTI, and GORDON;

WHEREAS, BTI has prepared and filed U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/283,213 on April 11, 2001 and related U.S. Patent Application No. 10/121,281 on April 11, 2002 entitled "Multi-Parameter Assays Including Analysis Discs and Methods Relating Thereto" (hereinafter referred to as the Gordon III invention), said Gordon III invention being based in part on an unfiled disclosure prepared during GORDON's affiliation with MOLECULAR DRIVES and the UNIVERSITY;

WHEREAS, UNIVERSITY, through its exclusive licensee BTI, has prosecuted and or caused the filing of the following United States applications for Letters Patent of the United States based upon the Gordon I, II, and III Inventions:

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(said applications being hereinafter referred to as the "Gordon Applications").

WHEREAS, DIGITAL has been merged into BTI as of August 14, 2001;

WHEREAS, UNIVERSITY, the assignor herein is presently the sole owner of the entire right, title, and interest to the Gordon I and Gordon II Inventions and Gordon I and Gordon II Patent Rights without any encumbrances thereon or any contingent or reversionary interests therein; and

WHEREAS, BTI desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in and to the Gordon I, Gordon II, and Gordon III Inventions and the Gordon I, Gordon II, and Gordon III Patent Rights;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration as recited in said certain Exclusive License, Technology Transfer, and Technology Acquisition Agreement dated July 23, 1999, and the "Clarification and Amendment" dated November 30, 2001, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, UNIVERSITY does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto BTI, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in and to said Gordon I, Gordon II, and Gordon III Inventions including the corresponding International Patent Application No. PCT/GB95/02186 filed September 15, 1995, including the priority application thereof GB9418981.8 filed September 21, 1994, and all subsequently filed related applications based thereon; International Patent Application No. PCT/GB97/02708 filed October 8, 1997, and the priority application thereof, GB9620934.1 filed October 8, 1996 and all improvements thereon; and including International Application No. PCT/US02/11620 filed April 11, 2002, and all subsequently filed applications based thereon; in and to any and all patents and patent applications pertaining to or based upon said inventions and improvements, including said identified Gordon Applications, and including any and all divisional and continuing applications and continuations-in-part; and in and to any and all Letters Patents, which may be granted and issued on said Gordon I, Gordon II, and Gordon III Inventions and said Gordon I, Gordon II, and Gordon III Patent Rights, or any of them, not only for, to and in the United States of America, its territories and possessions, but for, to and in all countries foreign thereto, together with and including all priority rights based upon any and all applications in the United States of America covered by this Assignment.

And for the above-named considerations, UNIVERSITY does hereby agree that it will at the request of BTI, execute any and all applications for Letters Patents for said inventions and any and all other papers and documents and do all other and further lawful acts that BTI may reasonably deem necessary or desirable to obtain U.S. and foreign Letters Patents on said inventions, to secure the grant of such Letters Patents and to perfect and vest in BTI the entire right, title, and interest in the inventions, applications, and Letters Patents.

> Signed on behalf of The University Court of the University Of Glasgow

Dated: 27 01 63

(The execution of this document by The University Court Of The University Of Glasgow is being acknowledged by a Notar and an apostille.)

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Acknowledged By:

Molecular Drives, Ltd.

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Director

(A certificate of acknowledgment is attached hereto for the above execution by Molecular Drives, Inc.)

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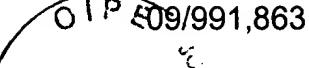
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